## TITLE XI-CONSERVATION OF FARMABLE WETLAND

The conference agreement includes language regarding a Conservation Reserve Program pilot in the prairie pothole region of the United States.

# TITLE XII-HASS AVOCADO PROMOTION, RESEARCH, AND INFORMATION

The conference agreement includes language regarding avocado research and promotion program.

# TITLE XIII—DEBT REDUCTION

The conference agreement includes language that reduces the public debt of the United States.

# CONFERENCE TOTAL—WITH COMPARISONS

The total new budget (obligational) authority for the fiscal year 2001 recommended by the Committee of Conference, with comparisons to the fiscal year 2000 amount, the 2001 budget estimates, and the House and Senate bills for 2001 follow:

[In thousands of dollars]	
New budget (obligational) authority, fiscal year	****
2000	\$84,312,546
Budget estimates of new (obligational) authority,	
fiscal year 2001	76,785,597
House bill, fiscal year 2001	75,264,494
Senate bill, fiscal year 2001	75,356,809
Conference agreement, fiscal year 2001 Conference agreement	78,139,809
compared with:	
New budget (obliga tional) authority, fis-	
cal year 2000	-6,172,737
Budget estimates of new (obligational) authority, fiscal year	
2001	+1,354,212
House bill, fiscal year	. 1,001,212
2001	+2,875,315

Senate bill, fiscal year

2001 ..... +2,783,000 JOE SKEEN. JAMES T. WALSH, JAY DICKEY. JACK KINGSTON, GEORGE R. NETHERCUTT, Jr., HENRY BONILLA, Tom Latham, JO ANN EMERSON, C.W. BILL YOUNG, Managers on the Part of the House.

THAD COCHRAN, ARLEN SPECTER. CHRISTOPHER S. BOND. SLADE GORTON. MITCH MCCONNELL. CONRAD BURNS, TED STEVENS. HERB KOHL. TOM HARKIN, (except for Cuba and reimportadrug tion). BYRON L. DORGAN, DIANNE FEINSTEIN, ROBERT C. BYRD, Managers on the Part of the Senate.

# ADJOURNMENT TO TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2000

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 10, 2000.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Florida?

There was no objection.

#### DISPENSING CALENDAR WITH WEDNESDAY **BUSINESS** ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order under the Calendar Wednesday rule be dispensed with on Wednesday next.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Florida?

There was no objection.

### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Ms. WATERS (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today on account of business in the district.

Ms. CARSON (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today on account of official business.

Mr. MEEKS of New York (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today on account of personal business.

Mr. PASCRELL (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today after 1:30 p.m. on account of official business.

Mr. REYES (at the request of Mr. GEP-HARDT) for today on account of official business.

Mr. STARK (at the request of Mr. GEP-HARDT) for today after 12:30 p.m. on account of medical reasons.

Mr. DIAZ-BALART (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today on account of touring flood damage with the director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Mrs. FOWLER (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today after 1:00 p.m. on account of official business.

Mr. HEFLEY (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today and October 3 on account of illness.

# SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. BROWN of Ohio) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. BROWN of Ohio, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FILNER, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GEJDENSON, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. SMITH of Michigan) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. PORTER, for 5 minutes, October

(The following Member (at his own request) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. SMITH of Michigan, for 5 minutes, today.

### SENATE BILLS REFERRED

Bills of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 134. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to study whether the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore should be protected as a wilderness area; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 1367. An act to amend the Act which established the Saint-Gaudens National Historic Site, in the State of New Hampshire, by modifying the boundary and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 1534. An act to reauthorize the Coastal Zone Management Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources; in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

S. 1670. An act to revise the boundary of Fort Matanzas National Monument, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources

S. 1972. An act to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey to the town of Dolores, Colorado, the current site of the Joe Rowell Park; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 2069. An act to permit the conveyance of certain land in Powell, Wyoming; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 2273. An act to establish the Black Rock Desert-High Rock Canyon Emigrant Trails National Conservation Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 2300. An act to amend the Mineral Leasing Act to increase the maximum acreage of Federal leases for coal that may be held by an entity in any 1 State; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 2345. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study concerning the preservation and public use of sites associated with Harriet Tubman located in Auburn, New York, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 2439. An act to authorize the appropriation of funds for the construction of the Southeastern Alaska Intertic system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

S. 2478. An act to require the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a theme study on the peopling of America, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

 $S.\ 2485.$  An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance in planning and constructing a regional heritage center in Calais, Maine; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 2499. An act to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Pennsylvania; to the Committee on Commerce.

S. 2691. An act to provide further protections for the watershed of the Little Sandy River as part of the Bull Run Watershed Management Unit, Oregon, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources; in addition to the Committee on Agriculture for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

S. 2749. An act to establish the California Trail Interpretive Center in Elko, Nevada, to facilitate the interpretation of the history of